

Draft PAT Functions

There are four primary functions of a PAT member:

1. Propose or receive recommendations to add or delete parameters of concern.
2. Present or receive scientific evidence regarding proposed parameters of concern.
3. Debate whether to add or delete parameters of concern, and make recommendations to the Water Quality Technical Group. (The Water Quality Technical Group, in turn, will consider PAT recommendations and make recommendations to CALFED as appropriate).
4. Determine targets for any additional parameters of concern and recommend them to the Water Quality Technical Group. (The Water Quality Technical Group, in turn, will consider PAT target recommendations and make recommendations to CALFED as appropriate).

At the January 28, 1998, meeting, the PAT members will be asked to review or modify the PAT functions as appropriate and to suggest an approach to avoid conflict of interest when a PAT member is proposing to add or delete a parameter of concern.